

I am strongly opposed to allowing the use of cellphones aboard aircraft. The passengers don't pay attention to us (Flight Attendants) now, it would make it impossible to maintain a safe, comfortable cabin. I believe terrorists or those with bad things in mind could use cellphones, etc to communicate and compromise the safety of my flight. As I understand it, there is no solid evidence that using cellphones is safe aboard the aircraft and does not interfere with communication and navigation systems. Where would I find that solid evidence?

I don't believe that having numerous people using cellphones on board my aircraft would make other passengers happy. Many of them use the time on board to rest and catch up on paperwork, and have expressed these same views. They do NOT want to hear their neighbor screaming at the top of their lungs. "I'm calling you from the airplane!" They want to relax. If cellphones were not allowed at all, the atmosphere would be greatly improved. Currently, my airline allows passengers to use phones until the aircraft door is closed. I make important announcements prior to this and everyone on a cellphone misses that information. Please do NOT allow the use of cellphone on my aircraft!!